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**PATENT APPLICATION**

**RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.116  
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE  
TECHNOLOGY CENTER ART UNIT 1724**

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

Takanari TAKAGAKI

Group Art Unit: 1724

Application No.: 10/032,091

Examiner: J. Greene

Filed: December 31, 2001

Docket No.: 110983

For: FILTER AND PRODUCTION METHOD THEREOF

**AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In reply to the December 11, 2003, Office Action, please consider the following:

**Amendments to the Claims** as reflected in the listing of claims; and

**Remarks.**